

Crawford County Fair Queen / Teen Pageants

1. A contestant must compete in the pageant sanctioned by the County Fair that is held in the county where she resides or attends school. Contestant must either legally reside or attend school (academic, not dance, etc.) in that county for one full semester. In the event a contestant whose parents are divorced and live in separate counties, and has been court ordered to reside jointly with both parents, she can only compete in one of the two counties in which her parents reside.
2. Age requirements for pageants: Teen 13-16 and queen 17-21. If birthday falls within seven (7) days of the pageant date, you may enter teen/queen division.
3. Division winners cannot compete again until next age division. Queen winners not eligible to compete again.
4. Contestant must be a single female, never have been married or had a marriage annulled, contestant can never have been or be/or become pregnant.
5. Contestant must be a US Citizen and never have been convicted of a felony offense. Illegal drugs, alcohol & smoking will definitely not be tolerated. If you have been arrested or charged with drugs or alcohol, or been treated for either, you will not be eligible to participate.
6. **If chosen winner, you agree to represent Crawford County and compete for the title of Miss Arkansas State Fair Teen/Queen. Pageants will be held in Little Rock, AR.** Information will be provided pageant director. The Teen/Queen must be accompanied by a chaperone at all times during the event of the fair and at any personal appearances when she is wearing her crown. (When making personal appearances, no jeans or slacks are permitted.) This chaperone should be preferable a parent, or adult family member over the age of 21.
7. If for any reason, your permanent residence or school attending should change to outside Crawford County within your reign, privileges connected with the said title shall also be handed down to the first runner up.
8. In case of marriage, pregnancy, living with a man, or any reason the Teen/Queen, is unable to fulfill her obligations as the reigning Queen, or any reason which the pageant director deems unacceptable, she will relinquish the title IMMEDIATELY, and all privileges connected with the said title, together with ALL prizes awarded to her, and a runner-up shall be awarded all prizes as if she were chosen queen on pageant night - her crown, sash, scholarship, and every gift not inscribed with her name. She shall be succeeded by the next eligible contestant. Runner ups who receive scholarship shall abide by rules same as queen to receive their funds,
9. Entrant must abide by all the rules of the County & State contests now in effect or as hereafter announced.
10. Interview session will be held at pageant building - time to be announced. Interview: 5 minutes. Teen/Queen
11. One piece swimsuits only (state rule) for Queen division. Teen is sportswear - represent your favorite sport (example: hunting, fishing, diving, marathon runner, golf, etc) Firmarms cannot be used as props!
12. Entrant must participate in parade on Saturday morning in downtown Mulberry. Contestant must provide their own vehicle and signage.
13. Winners will be expected to represent Crawford County to gain as much exposure as possible by visiting schools, local civic groups, open houses, parades, festivals, special speaking engagement requested by director/-fair board.
14. UAFS Scholarship - requirements must be met to obtain scholarship. Scholarship will be awarded per UAFS rules. No cash value. Miss Division Only.
15. **Only contestants are allowed back stage this year. No others will be admitted except to load in/out.**
16. **NO professional hair/makeup artists will be allowed.** You must complete your own hair and makeup during pageant, or booked with an outside source before checking in for pageant.
17. Not responsible for items left in bulding.
18. **Failure to abide by the above stated rules will result in loss of title and scholarship.**
19. **Any display of poor sportsmanship and/or unbecoming conduct, and interference and/or disturbance, or any behavioral problem created by a contestant, chaperone, parent, relative or even a supporter of a contestant could result in disqualification of the contestant not only from this year's contest, but also from future contests.**
20. **Winner must return the following year to crown new royalty.**
21. **Each contestant must bring a decorated cookie jar with one (1) dozen homemade or bought cookies for the silent auction. This will replace the audience favorite award.**

